TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



HB 911 - SB 1354

February 21, 2019

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the executive committee to notify a candidate, and provide reasonable time for the candidate to respond to the committee, when the committee determines the candidate is unqualified and must be excluded from the ballot by the county election commission.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 2-5-204(b)(2), an executive committee's determination of disqualification must be filed with the chair or administrator of elections of each county election commission on whose ballots the candidate's name would otherwise appear no later than noon prevailing time on the seventh day after the qualifying deadline for the election.
- The proposed legislation does not alter that deadline.
- Requiring the executive committee to notify the disqualified candidate and provide the
 candidate reasonable time for a response prior to the disqualification notice being filed
 with the county election commission will not result in a significant fiscal impact on state
 and local government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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